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Attached please find the following for filing in the above-identified application.

- (1) Amendment in response to Office Action dated August 5, 2004;
- (2) Petition for Extension of Period for Response for two months; and
- (3) Amendment Transmittal

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METHOD FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF A DECODER CONNECTED TO THE

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Enclosed are:

[X] Amendment (7 pages).

Petition for Extension of Period for Response.

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- [X] Applicant(s) is/are entitled to small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of \$450.00 for the 2 Month Extension of Time and any fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for presentation of extra claims or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 16-0631.

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#### INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action of August 5, 2004, and in accordance with the automatic extension of time for response provided by 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), amendment to the above-identified patent application is requested.

The present amendment comprises the following sections:

- A. Amendments to the Claims;
- B. Remarks.

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